



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Stefan Pulst

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For: Compositions and Methods for the Treatment
of Obesity

Group Art Unit: 1632

Examiner: Dowell, Paul Thomas

Confirmation No.: 8912

RESPONSE TO NONFINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Introductory Comments

This communication is in response to a January 17, 2006 Office Action setting a reply date for April 17, 2006. Accordingly, a petition for a two-month extension of time accompanies this communication. If, however, Applicants are in error, the Examiner is authorized to charge Jones Day's Deposit Account No. 50-2468 for any fees, including any extension of time fees, necessitated by this filing.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this correspondence.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 4 of this correspondence.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.